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RED TAG SALE

Reduced prices hold good up to closing time to-night—10 o'clock.

Monday we shall commence showing our new Spring goods, most of them bought recently at the Furniture Exposition held in New York where the leading manufacturers from all over the country show their lines.

In addition to the floor space acquired by the Sale of Red Tag goods this past week we have added over 1000 square feet more space to our basement salesroom and shall be better able to serve you this year than ever before.

Yours for a Bigger and Better Store

B. W. Hooker & Co.

Vermont's Largest House Furnishers

TALK OF THE TOWN

Bargains at private sale at City Auction Rooms.

LARD
per pound
11c

We will sell on Monday next, one day only, Lard in 5, 10, 20 and 25 pound pails at

11c a pound

Good chance to get best lard at the lowest price.

H. J. Smith
City Market

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The Barre Book Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Sale hamburgs, 9c yard, Saturday at Vaughan's.

Auction sale to-day at 2 and 7 p. m. at the City auction rooms.

Don't forget the dance social in the Miles' hall Saturday evening. Gents, 50c; ladies, free. Refreshments. Music by the Barre opera house orchestra.

"The Injury of Tobacco."

In his forcible description of "The Injury of Tobacco," in the March Century, Charles B. Towns writes with the knowledge of an expert and the earnestness of an exhorter. He ranks the popular weed with the worst of the drug slave-masters, and in particular pays his respects to the smoking fathers, who enjoy abstinence on their sons, yet whose example leads to early cigarette smoking by stealth.

TOO LATE TO BE CLASSIFIED.

WANTED—At once: a kitchen girl at the City Hotel. 2521

WOMEN—Earn good pay copying addresses. Particulars for six cents in stamps. Horison Agency, Chicago. 2521

TO RENT—A modern seven-room house. Family of two. Give occupation. Address "A. L. C." Times office. 2521

TO RENT—Cottage house with barn and garden, on Trow Hill. Modern improvements. Year school. Small family preferred. Inquire of Mrs. G. E. Winter. Telephone 258-3. 2521

WANTED—A young man or boy wanted for an office position. Address in own hand, writing, stating business experience if any, and age, "Office Position," care of Times office. 3525

We Save You Dollars and Cents

Walk in and we will show you the greatest edition of Sheet Music the world has ever known. You used to pay as high as fifty cents a copy for some of these pieces. Our price is ten cents a copy. Walk in, when in our neighborhood, and look over this really wonderful line of Sheet Music at ten cents a copy.

All of the popular music at fifteen cents per copy.

MRS. H. S. MILES - 70 North Main St.

NEW ARRIVAL OF

Weller's Cooking Ware

Now being shown at our store will reveal many new ideas in this wonderful production of brown and white cooking utensils. This ware will stand the heat of ovens, thus making them practical cooking dishes and an ornament to the table. Besides our regular stock we have a few specialties which we mention below, which will pay every one to inspect.

Oval and Round Casseroles with Nickel Frames

- 1 1-2 pint capacity, with covers, each. \$1 19
- 3 pint capacity, with covers, each. 1 35
- 5 pint capacity, with covers, each. 1 92
- 7 pint capacity, with covers, each. 2 35

Covered Bean Pots with Nickel Frames

- 1 1-2 pint capacity, with covers, each. 75c
- 3 1-2 pint capacity, with covers, each. \$1 19

Our special 9 piece Cooking Set at \$1.85 a set is a winner. An inspection of this Cooking Ware will show the many advantages obtained by its use in every household.

C. N. KENYON & CO.'S

CASH BARGAIN STORE,

185-187 North Main Street. Telephone (346-M) Barre, Vt.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Saturday sale of waists, 1912 styles, at Vaughan's.

See the new silk dresses at Abbott's for only \$8.50.

A tumble in all-line towels at Perry's on Saturday.

Full quota of barbers at your service to-night at Miers.

C. T. Adams of East Cabot is visiting relatives and friends in the city.

A son, Chester Hubbard Poulsen, was born Feb. 23 to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Poulsen.

M. W. Kendall went to Essex Junction yesterday for a few days' visit with friends.

Miss Esther Wells of Cabot returned home to-day, after a few days' visit in the city.

Supt. H. W. Lewis of the Randolph schools was a visitor in the city yesterday afternoon.

Two sleighs sold at auction sale, City auction rooms, Main street, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

F. K. Bailey left this morning for Burlington, where he will remain with friends over Sunday.

Louis Provost returned to Rutland yesterday, after spending a few days in this city on business.

William Lesley of Quincy, Mass., is visiting at the home of his brother, John Lesley, on Liberty street.

Remember the chicken-nip supper at the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, March 1. Admission, 25c.

J. E. Bowen of Island Pond was a business visitor in the city yesterday, leaving for his home this morning.

R. B. Lang returned yesterday to his home in White River Junction, after passing a few days in the city on business.

Miss Helen Humphrey, who has been visiting friends in the city for a fortnight, returned to-day to her home in Keene, N. H.

Clarence Kent of Waterbury, Conn., was in the city yesterday looking over a piece of real estate which he contemplates purchasing.

Principal Tibbitts of the high school at Northfield and George Tibbitts of Marshfield were among the business visitors in the city to-day.

Harry Averill and William Maiden, students at the university of Vermont, arrived in this city to-day to spend the week-end at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. William Trenoweth of the Morse block left this noon for Concord, N. H., where they were called by the death of Mrs. Trenoweth's sister.

Nicholas G. Mascott resumed his duties in the Barre Candy kitchen this morning, after spending a two weeks' vacation with friends in Boston and New York City.

Miss Mary Ann Ewen of Hale street was able to resume her duties at the F. D. Ladd Co.'s store this morning, after a several days' absence on account of illness.

Attend the dance social Saturday evening in the Miles hall. Gents, 50c; ladies free. Refreshments. The Barre opera house orchestra will introduce entirely new dance music.

William J. Leslie of Wollaston, Mass., is visiting at the home of his brother, John A. Leslie of Liberty street. Mr. Leslie is a member of the Massachusetts general assembly from the district of Quincy.

Mrs. Nelson-Church wishes to engage an apprentice, a young lady who speaks Italian. Unquestionable references as to character must be furnished. This will be a permanent position if work is satisfactory.

C. B. Carr, past grand sache of the state order of Redmen, returned to his home in St. Johnsbury this morning, after attending the annual banquet of the local tribe of Redmen last night in the Woodmen hall.

D. E. Laramie, who has been employed in J. F. Sadlers' store on Elm street for the past two years, has resigned his position to accept the Barre and Montpelier agency for the Fitch Ringer Co. of Albany, N. Y.

Sometime last fall, a large stepladder in use at the city building was loaned by the janitor, George Bemis. Since then, Mr. Bemis has seen no signs of the ladder and suggests that the woman who was thus accommodated return it to the city building at once.

Miss Jane Watkins of Summer street was tendered a postcard shower by a number of her young friends February 20, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Sixty-seven reminders of this kind were received, and through The Times, Miss Watkins desires to thank the thoughtful ones who thus remembered her on that day.

Friday's arrivals at the hotel Otis were: H. A. Lewis, Burlington; C. B. Carr, St. Johnsbury; Thomas Thornton, Boston; Sam Silvey, Boston; Harry M. Spaulding, White River Junction; D. R. French, White River Junction; S. S. Green, Boston; H. H. Avery, Boston; Edward Nichols, Boston; members of the Madame Sherry theatrical company.

The members of the eighth and ninth grades of the Lincoln school went to Williamstown last night, accompanied by three school teachers, who acted as chaperons. The evening was spent at the grange hall, where they had a bountiful supper awaiting them, after which games and dancing were enjoyed by all. The party returned to this city early. The trip was made in Cutler's barge.

Nearly 100 members and sympathizers of the Barre Socialist club, including many ladies, held a social gathering in the Worthen hall Thursday evening. Several of the company contributed musical or literary numbers to a short program, among them being John T. Callaghan, James Gould, Miss Gould, Comrades Pitblow, McLeod and James Hogg. Later in the evening, a number of the ladies served refreshments of cake and coffee, home-made candy, and ice cream. The affair was carried out under the directions of Mrs. William Nichol, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Robert Gordon and Mrs. Fred W. Sutor. The Barre local plans to have other socials of a like nature in the near future.

The immense throng, still cheering wildly, then proceeded to the palace where King Victor Emmanuel, Queen Helena and Crown Prince Humbert came out on a balcony. Their majesties and the heir apparent were enthusiastically acclaimed. This was the first time the crown prince, who is seven years old, had appeared in public. He saluted the throng beneath him in military fashion and the Romans in acknowledgment burst forth with renewed cheering.

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Read about our four big sales for Saturday at Vaughan's.

James Devers was a business visitor in Northfield to-day.

Auction sale to-day at 2 and 7 p. m. at the City auction rooms.

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Albert Gilman went to Marshfield to-day to spend the week-end at his home.

Interest on loans to the Barre Savings Bank and Trust company is due March 1.

City auction rooms open for business every day. A large lot of goods just in.

Hamburgs at 5c a yard Saturday. Henry W. Knight, successor to Veale & Knight.

John McGowan commenced work this morning at the Smith quarries on Millstone hill.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris F. Jones of Allen street, Sunday, February 18.

A good piano sold at City auction rooms Saturday evening at 8:30 to the highest bidder.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eric E. Pirie at the City hospital on Friday, the 23d.

Miss Louise de Roleau went this noon to Waterbury, where she will visit relatives over Sunday.

George T. Bowes left this afternoon for Burlington to remain with friends over the week-end.

Clarence Goldsberry returned this morning from visiting friends in St. Albans and Burlington.

Mrs. Katherine Day of North Hero arrived in the city this morning for a week's visit with friends.

William Davidson left this morning for Albany, N. Y., where he will remain for a few days on business.

Clyde Howell of Long street is assisting in the office at the Central Vermont station for a few days.

Miss Mary T. Owens of South Main street went this noon to Burlington for a week-end visit with relatives.

Guy George of South Main street left this morning for Orange, where he has secured employment in the woods.

The junior exhibition at Goddard seminary will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Guy Lindsay, a student at Goddard seminary, left this noon for Melrose Falls to spend the week-end at his home there.

Charles D. Swasey of Waterbury arrived in the city to-day to pass the week-end with his family on Nelson street.

The hockey match between the seminary and Northfield high school, which was set for this afternoon, was again postponed.

The furniture used in Miss Lavell's production of "The Melting Pot," at the opera house to-night, is loaned by B. W. Hooker & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Mears of South Main street left this noon for Haverhill, Mass., where they will spend two weeks with relatives.

E. M. Twitchell, state organizer of the Red Men, returned to his home in Brattleboro to-day, after attending the annual banquet of the local tribe of Red Men.

John McLean, who has been visiting friends in this city for the past few days, returned to Claremont, N. H., to-day to resume work with the Sullivan Machinery company.

A ten-pound daughter, Virginia Munro, was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. George H. Gilman of Claremont, N. H. Mrs. Gilman was formerly Miss Mary M. Barelay of this city.

Guests registered at the City hotel yesterday and to-day were as follows: O. A. Ray, Brattleboro; F. S. Dow, Rutland; O. D. Tracy, Chelsea; W. S. Hutchinson, Enosburg Falls; Saul Matison, Boston.

The third team of the Episcopal boy choir defeated the Liberty streets at basketball in the Church street gymnasium this forenoon by the score of 5 to 4. Of course, the game was fast and exciting.

Elmore's juvenile dancing school was brought to a close last night with a ball held in Howland hall. There were about eighty young folks in attendance, including many from Mr. Elmore's class at Montpelier. Harris' orchestra furnished music for the occasion.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Miss Florence Howard Thursday evening, when twenty members of the Gleasons club with their guests met for a Washington and Lincoln dinner. The tables were appropriately decorated with flags, hatchets, and log cabins, each diner receiving for a souvenir a cocked hat and a Lincoln penny. Following the dinner of old-time vanda, an interesting program of music, readings and games completed the evening's entertainment.

TRIPOLI ANNEXATION PASSES.

Great Enthusiasm as Measure Went Through Chamber of Deputies.

Rome, Feb. 24.—The chamber of deputies last night passed the bill for the annexation of Tripoli by Italy by a vote of 431 to 38. The large majority given the measure was greeted with enthusiastic cheering from the floor of the chamber and the public in the gallery. Afterwards the members who voted against annexation, including the socialists, a few republicans and one radical, Prince Gaetano, were roundly hissed. Only one member abstained from voting.

When the result became known outside the chamber, enthusiasm prevailed everywhere and the populace began a celebration. Flags were hoisted throughout the city and shops were closed. Placards on their doors announced that business had been suspended "for national rejoicing." Clubs, associations and residences were illuminated. Two hundred thousand demonstrators gathered in the square before the chamber of deputies, many of them carrying flags, and demanded that Premier Giolitti come forth. The premier appeared on a balcony of the parliament building and in a speech thanked the Romans for their confidence. He then asked them to disperse.

The immense throng, still cheering wildly, then proceeded to the palace where King Victor Emmanuel, Queen Helena and Crown Prince Humbert came out on a balcony. Their majesties and the heir apparent were enthusiastically acclaimed. This was the first time the crown prince, who is seven years old, had appeared in public. He saluted the throng beneath him in military fashion and the Romans in acknowledgment burst forth with renewed cheering.

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You Know Your Needs

Every lady knows she needs a certain amount of medium weight and thin dresses for spring wear. She also knows if she waits until she is ready to use them that she is not liable to find just what she wants. If you are settled in your mind what you need, why not look over our many lines of new materials and garments and make your selections while the stock is full and everything is new. The new wash goods were never so attractive as this season, and there are so many new designs. In the ready-made department the suits, coats and dresses are entirely new and very attractive. We have an unusual large display of dresses and suits for this early in the season.

Ladies' Tailored Suits

All ladies are interested in the new Tailored Suit and Separate Coats. These we are receiving now in some very attractive models. It seems the new Suit is more attractive than ever, the whitecoats, serges and Bedford cords are very attractive and are entirely new. These are a cloth that the yarn is hard twisted, and is sure to wear well and will always look nice, because they will keep their shape.

These Suits we start at \$10.00 and can give you some very attractive models up to \$35.00 each. All the better Suits we are showing in individual models of only one Suit of a particular style or design.

We have a good showing of the new spring models in Misses' Junior and Ladies' Coats, that are sure to appeal to you as very attractive.

New Silk Dresses

We received by express Monday a line of Silk Dresses that are as good a value as we have ever been able to offer.

These are Dresses that are made by a house that makes a specialty of Silk House Dresses.

When you can buy a good Silk Dress that is made in the latest spring model and in a quality of silk you will find in these, you cannot afford to pass these values.

At \$8.50 is a Silk Foulard Dress that is made in a very good model. Has a V lace yoke and is finished around yoke and sleeves with plain silk to match. Comes in blue and brown.

At \$12.00 are a number of very attractive Silk models, are a nice quality of silk and are Dresses that are tailored in the best of shape. These are Dresses that are made on lines that will fit.

At \$12.50 and \$14.00 are a few other models that we feel will be of more than ordinary interest to you. See them in our north show window.

49c Silks

Seventeen colors in All Pure Silk, 18-inch Messaline, as follows: Light blue, royal blue, navy blue two shades, Nile green, reseda green, hunters' green, old rose, white, black, garnet or maroon, cardinal, pink, maize or yellow, brown and champagne, your choice for 49c per yard.

Five combinations in two-toned Silks, as follows: Navy and black, brown and black, garnet and black, purple and black, well worth 75c, now 49c per yard.

One piece of Navy Foulard with white stripe, a beauty for the price, 49c per yard.

Navy Messaline with white stripe and Copenhagen with white stripe. These are 49c.

Black and White Stripes and Checks, new silks, at 49c per yard.

If you want a good apron dress to wear over your afternoon dress to protect it from some dirty work you may have to do, you should see the values we are offering at \$1.00.

The Daylight Store

NEW POSSIBLE OIL FIELD.

Petroleum Likely to Be Found In the Southern End of San Joaquin Valley, California.

The United States geological survey has just issued a preliminary report on the geology and possible oil resources of the south end of San Joaquin Valley, California, by Robert Anderson, as an advance chapter from bulletin 471. The vast stores of petroleum discovered in the rocks along the foothills of the Tumbler range on the southwest side of the San Joaquin valley and in the foothills of the Sierra Nevada near Bakersfield on the northeast side, have suggested the possibility of oil occurring in the continuation of this foothill belt, around the south end of the valley between these two productive districts. Very little attention has been given to the geology of this intermediate region and no tests of its oil possibilities have been made. With a view to obtaining a general idea of the geologic features and the possible oil resources, Mr. Anderson made a reconnaissance around the south end of the valley during the early part of October, 1910.

The main conclusion derived from this brief field examination is that a continuous productive area joining the present developed fields on the two sides of the valley is by no means to be expected, but that two or more areas situated near the border of the foothills at the south end of the valley offer favorable conditions for the accumulation of

oil. Across the level San Joaquin valley from Bakersfield to Buena Vista lake, to the San Emigdio region, and to the Tejon region, even though it is likely that the oil-bearing rocks underlie the valley, every indication is that they are too deep to be accessible by present methods of drilling.

Promising Oil Areas.

Around the foothill belt that fringes the valley the possible oil-bearing formations are not continuous and the structural conditions are not uniform, so that if oil is to be found at all, it must be sought in areas where the presence of oil-bearing strata and the occurrence of favorable geologic structure make the accumulation of oil possible. One such area containing peculiarly favorable conditions is to be found in Wheeler ridge, which extends into the valley east of Pinto creek. Another promising area lies farther west along the edge of the valley north of the mouth of Muddy and Santiago creeks and northwest of the mouth of San Emigdio creek. The latter area bids fair to form an eastward extension of the Sunset field, but it does not appear likely to be continuous with the prospective Wheeler ridge field mentioned above.

These areas as well as other parts of the region are briefly described in the report. It is further stated that when studied in detail, areas other than those just mentioned may prove to have

stratigraphic and structural conditions favorable for the accumulation of oil.

Land Withdrawals.

In pursuance of the policy of the federal government and on the recommendation of the geological survey, the public lands in the region described have been withdrawn from all forms of entry. Attention is, however, called to the fact that the large areas listed as withdrawn lands, include numerous tracts that are privately owned and that are in no way affected by the order. When a detailed examination is made, areas without promise will be restored to agricultural entry and land believed to contain oil will be held by the government subject to the laws controlling such resources.

The report contains a description of the withdrawn lands, by section, township and range, and also a geologic sketch map of the southern end of the San Joaquin valley. A copy of this advance may be obtained upon application to the geological survey, Washington, D. C.

Sale 31,25 petticoats at 59c Saturday at Vaughan's.

Regular meeting of Barre acie, No. 1573, F. O. E., on Monday evening, Feb. 26, at 7:30 o'clock in F. of A. hall. Initiation.

Good Goods And Low Prices

is the foundation on which our large business has been built up. Special for Saturday:

- Best Dairy Butter in boxes or prints, lb. 34c
- Peanut Butter, 2 lbs. for 25c
- Bulk Cocoa, per lb. 24c
- Bulk Coconut, 2 pounds for 25c
- Bulk Horse Radish, pt. 15c
- Fresh or Salt Beef Tongue, per lb. 16c
- Ward's Bread Fruit Loaf, each. 10c
- Something special for Saturday only: Mother Hubbard, large loaf. 10c
- Graham Bread 5c

It's the quality that sell Ward's Bread—and most for your money.

Are you using Oleomargarine? We have a good one at 20c per pound.

- National Oats, package 20c
- Blueberries, 2 cans for 25c
- Daisy Evaporated Apples 15c
- Heinz Large Sour Pickles, lb. 8c
- Crisko, per can 25c
- Ginger Snaps, 4 pounds for 25c

Watch for our prices on ORANGES—expect they will arrive Friday afternoon or Saturday morning.

SMITH & CUMINGS

Don't pass ordering some Tip Top Bread, suits all occasions.

GOOD VALUES

- WALNUTS—another shipment of those Walnuts, while they last, per lb. 15c
- Walnut Meats, whole halves, per quarter 10c
- White House Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 packages 25c
- Egg elbo Macaroni and Spaghetti, 2 packages 25c
- Vermicelli, Soup Pastels and Noodles.
- 3 cans Campbell's or Van Camp's Soup for 25c
- 6 lbs. guaranteed Pop Corn for 25c

Meat Department